Elixir Salutis:

THE

CHOISE DRINK OF HEALTH.

OR,

Health-bringing Drink.

BEING

A Famous CORDIAL DRINK, found out by the Providence of the Almighty, and for above *eighteen* years, Experienced by my self and divers persons (whose names are at most of their Desires here inserted) a most Excellent Preservative of Mankind.

A SECRET

Farr beyond any Medicament yet known, and is found so agreeable to Nature, that it effects all its Operations, as Nature would have it, and as a virtual Expedient proposed by her, for reducing all her Extreams unto an equal Temper; the same being fitted unto all *Ages*, *Sexes*, *Complexions*, and *Constitutions*, and highly fortifying Nature against any Noxious humour, invading or offending the *Noble Parts*.

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Courteous Reader,

I Having by the Providence of the *Almighty* obtained the true Compoſition, together with the Secret of Right Preparing and making this Famous *Elixir*, or *Choiſe Drink of Health*; and having for nigh *twenty* years laſt, downwards to this time, found the ſame (to admiration) ſucceſsful in the perfect cure of moſt of the Torturing and painful Diſtempers and Maladies incident to Humane Bodies; as will be abundantly teſtified by ſundry credible Perſons in this City and elſewhere, upon their own happy Experiences of my *Elixirs* Admirable and almoſt incredible effects and vertues; the enumeration of whom would be too tedious here to inſert: yet particularly (amongſt many others) my *Elixir* was about two years ſince found ſucceſsful under God in the perfect Cure of one *Thomas Hinde*, moſt ſadly afflicted with the Stone, and other Diſtempers, after five years uſe of the beſt Means he could procure either from Learned Phyſicians in this City, or the *Wells*; as by the ſaid *Hinde*'s Certificate under his hand, and other Teſtimonies may fully appear. He, the ſaid *Hinde*, ſoon after his Cure, did by ſubtle ſuggeſtions of great Travails by him pretendedly undertaken, and crafty Inſinuations into my favour, obtain from me a Direction unto ſome (though but few of) my *Elixir's* Ingredients, ſo far onely as to prevent his Relapſe into his then late Diſtempers; or to recover him, if relapſed by change of Air, alteration of Climates, or otherwiſe: which ſaid *Hinde* having thus (as he thought) accompliſhed his Ends, did ſoon after (like a jugling *Don Quixot*) by the Letters T. H. G. midwife by ſtealth a Libellous Pamphlet, crawling into the world, yet keeping it ſelf in dark Corners, as a Moon-blind Bratt, demurely counterfeiting my *Elixir*, under the varniſhed and ſpecious Appellation of his Famous and Wonderful NEVER FAILING CORDIAL DRINK OF THE WORLD, *&c.* to be ſold onely within *Alderſgate* at the Picture-ſhop, and at one place more, in *York* City; audaciouſly making uſe of, and miſapplying the ſubſtance of my Bill of Directions, by me publiſhed in Print above four years ſince; and alſo Ape-like imitating my own Expreſſions, which he had from time to time heard me declare of my own and my Patients manifold Experiences of my *Elixirs* vertues, with much impudence impoſing them upon the World, as if they were his own many years Experiences of the virtues of what he calls his *Never failing Drink &c.* though it is well known to me and many others in this City, that he himſelf was (within this 27 moneths laſt) a ſtranger to my *Elixir*, and to the names of thoſe few Ingredients in it, which now he pretends to know. Divers of my Patients, in this Book, *viz.* Mr. *Ben. Hope*, Mr. *William Crawley*, and others, having been cured by me above 9 years ſince, and to this time remaining living Monuments to God's praiſe of my Medicines virtues. It is here very remarkable, that this *Hinde*, though ſtored with ſo great a ſtock of Confidence of the Infallible Effects of his *Never Failing Drink* yet he boggles at the publication of the Names and Places of abode of ſuch Patients of his, as have been cured of any Diſtemper by that his NEVER FAILING *Cordial*; or of the time or times ſuch Cure (if any) were made. By which ſiniſter and indirect Practiſe of *Hinde*, it being obſerved, that ſundry people of moſt Ranks have been egregiouſly beguiled, their health indangered, and my ſelf injuriouſly abuſed; I have in faithful Diſcharge of my Conſcience unto God, and in love to the publick Good, ſometime ſince publiſhed in Print two Advertiſements for undeceiving the deluded World, unto which I never received one ſyllable of Anſwer from this *Hinde*. I ſhall therefore leave the Conſideration of the whole matter to the judgment of the Impartial Reader. *Qui vult deſipi, deſipiatur.*

London, 6. *May*. 1673. ANTHONY DAVIS.

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THE Excellent uſes and tranſcendent *Virtues* of this *Ineſtimable Jewel*, proved by the happy and ſucceſsful experiences of many *Credible Perſons*, being now living and *Healthful Monuments* to God's Praiſe, hereunder named and deſcribed, are (amongſt divers others, too long here to mention) theſe, *viz.*

The Gout.

THis Choiſe Preſervative (*if duly prepared*) effectually and perfectly cures the *Gout*, as hath (through God's bleſſing) been happily experienced, and will be teſtified (amongſt others) by *Benjamin Hope* of *Camerwell* in the County of *Surrey*, Mr. *Pierce* of *Newington Butts-Cawſey*, his Wife having been cured, who both were very ſorely afflicted with this Torturing Malady. For, this my Drink ſtifles the *Gout* in its Birth, and kills it in its ſtrength; extracting out of all parts of the Patient's Body thoſe crude and viſcous humours, which are the Spawn and nouriſhing cauſe of this *grievous Diſeaſe*, and frees the Joynts of all other Diſeaſes and Pains to *Admiration*. For the *Gout* and *Dropſy*, Mr. *Athie*, at the *Nagg's head*, over againſt the *Royal Sword*, beyond the *New Exchange* in the *Strand*, hath alſo found my *Elixir* happily ſucceſsful in his Cure.

The Stone and Gravel in the Reins, or an Exulceration in the Kidneys or Mouth of the Bladder.

THis Drinks diſſolves, and perfectly cures the *Stone* and *Gravel*, and hath been by God's bleſſing found an effectual *Remedy*

againſt it in *Men*, *Women*, and *Children*. It wonderfully cleanſeth the *Reins* of all foulneſs and imperfections, *forcing Urine*, never failing to cure the *Gravel* in the *Reins*, *Kidneys*, or *Bladder*, though ulcerated, and the Patients *Urine* like *bloud*. Theſe excellent virtues of this *my Drink* have to admiration been found *eminently ſucceſsful* by very many perſons in divers Countries, and this City: as, for *Inſtance*, by Mrs. *Katherine*, the Wife of Mr. *Tho. Daffey* of *Redmill* in the County of *Leiceſter*, and Mr. *William Crawley* of *Luton* in the County of *Bedford*, who was cured Nine years ſince, and may once a Fortnight be found at the *Three Broad Arrows* in *Golden Lane*, *London*; who by God's bleſſing upon this my *Drink*, voided above an *Hundred Stones*; whereof the firſt, as big as the middle part of a *Tobacco Pipe*, and about an *Inch long*, and ſo ſoft at its coming away, that one might crumble it between the fingers; moſt of the other *Stones*, *ſmaller*, ſome of the bigneſs of an *Horſe-bean*, ſome as little as a *Pea*, all rendred ſoft, and of a crumbling nature.

Miſtreſs *Tanner*, living within the *New Poſtern*, over againſt *Aldermanbury*, *London*, hath likewiſe found *my Drink*, under God, effectual to the *cure* of this grievous painful Diſtemper, in bringing away above *ſixty* ſtones, one whereof is as big as a *Date ſtone*.

So Mr. *Elliot* at the *Parrot*, at the upper end of *Drury Lane*, and Mr. *Stephen Dallyſon* a Shoo-maker, next *Somerſet houſe* in the *Strand*.

Alſo the aforeſaid *Thomas Hinde*, when all other *Means* and *Phyſicians* (from one to another) in five years ſore affliction, proved unſucceſsful to him, either for *help* or *eaſe*; Nine Spoonfuls, or three *Doſes* of this *my Drink* (as I prepared it) did by the Lord's bleſſing, bring him to void a *Stone three-forked*, like the upper end of ſome *Tobacco-ſtopper*, about the bigneſs of an *Horſe-bean*, which hath been ſeen by ſundry perſons of Note in this *City*, and elſewhere. And of his Cure by *my Drink* I have his *Certificate* (ready to ſhew) as aforementioned (if need require). Many more living Teſtimonies might be named of the *increaible* and *excellent virtues* of this *Drink*, bringing away the *Stone*, *Sand*, and *Gravel*, when *congealed*, the *Sand* and *Gravel* brought away as ſoft, as Meal or Flower under the *finger*: and if the ſame be *congealed*, it ſometimes brings it away on a ſuddain, hard as a *Pibble*, as the aforeſaid Mr. *Crawley* hath experienced. Mr. *Robert Goodſon*, at the *Red Croſs* in St. *Martins le Grand*, having alſo lately been ſorely racked with this torture, found this *Elixir* under God a ſpeedy and effectual remedy in avoiding with much eaſe a Stone, of the bigneſs of a ſmall Bean, ſince which he hath been very well, and ſo remains to this day.

Against Languiching and Melancholly.

IT raiſeth Languiſhing *Nature*, and *Melancholly* drooping *Spirits*, it fails not of curing the *Hypocondriack-Melancholly*, and moſt powerfully oppoſeth all black and mixed *humours* (as Natures grand Enemy) continually drawing them out of the *Veins* and *Arteries* into the *Stomach*, and from thence ſends them away; and after their expulſion *Nature* rejoyceth, as hath been ſucceſsfully experienced by Mris *Lloyd* in *Dean Court* in *Coleman ſtreet*, and others.

Shortneſs of Breath, Collick, Griping in the Guts.

THis *Drink* doth, by the Lord's bleſſing, ſuddainly help *bad Digeſtion*, or *ſtoppage* of the *Stomach* and *ſhortneſs* of *Breath*, cauſing a good *appetite*, and defending the *head* from all vapors aſcending from the *Mother* and *Spleen*. It is found a moſt certain Remedy for the *Collick*, and any *Griping* of the *Guts*, and ſtayeth *Vomiting*; which Virtues have been ſucceſsfully experienced by the aforeſaid *Benjamin Hope* of *Camerwell*, Mr. *Layton* of *Chick lane*, *London*, Cordwainer, Mris *Petit* in *Curſiters Alley*, and my own Family.

And many others will alſo teſtifie, that the ſame takes away all *pains* from the *Heart*, and perfectly cured them, when they were ſurely ſtopt with *Phlegme*, yea when they feared *Choking*, and were accuſtomed in their ſleep to be near *ſtifling* for want of *Breath*.

The Ptiſſick.

IT gives much relief and eaſe to *Aged* People, afflicted with the *Ptiſſick*, but perfectly cures ſuch as have ſtrength of *Nature*, and are not too far ſpent in that ſad Diſtemper. It hath been found ſucceſsful in the Cure of the ſaid Mr. *Tho Layton*, and Mr. *Cox* living at the ſign of the *Cock* in *Fleet lane*, *London*.

This harmleſs and pleaſant Cordial is ſo good a friend unto *Woman kind* in all conditions, and hath been ſo experienced, that they cannot treaſure up a *richer Jewel* by them, or have a more acceptable gift preſented them, the virtues of it being found effectual in clearing them of all obſtructions, fitting and enabling them for conception.

The Green-ſickneſs.

IT alſo certainly and ſpeedily cures the *Green-ſickneſs* (of any *kind* or *nature* whatſoever,) not failing to bring Virgins to their *Maiden bluſh*, rendering painting altogether out of faſhion, making the *Face well coloured*, the Breath *ſweet*, and the Body *luſty*.

Againſt

Againſt Surfets.

IT purſueth *Surfets* from one place to another in the body, yea though the body be ſwollen up, it doth by God's help ſpeedily raiſe the Patient from a bed of Languiſhing; as hath been happily experienced by one Mr. *De-Hewes*, a Glaſs-maker, in *Wincheſter-yard*, *Southwark*, who found the ſame admirably ſucceſsful in his *ſpeedy* and compleat *Recovery* from that dangerous Diſtemper.

Scurvy and Dropſie.

THis Cordial Drink wonderfully acquits the Body of the *Scurvy*, root and branch; and hath alſo been found (to *Admiration*) ſucceſsful in the perfect cure of the *Dropſie*, and other *Diſtempers*, accompanying the ſame, as hath been happily experienced by the aforeſaid Mr. *Layton* of *Chick-lane*, the ſaid Mr. *Dehewes*, *John Thomas* a Cutler in *Gunpowder Alley* in *Shoo-lane*, and others (too many here to mention.)

Coughs, Wheelings, Conſumption, and Agues.

IT hath been found, through God's bleſſing, an effectual Remedy againſt *Coughs* of all ſorts, yea in the height of *extremity*. It alſo removes and takes away the *Cauſes* of all *Wheeſings*, and hath to Admiration cured *Conſumptive perſons*, Nature beeing not too far ſpent. It hath been in *February* laſt found ſucceſsful in the Cure of an Apprentice, by name *Geo. Amblin*, who was ſorely afflicted with a *Quotidian Ague*, the young man may be ſpoken with, or heard of at Mr. *Barnham's* Coffee-houſe in *Biſhops-gate ſtreet*, over againſt the *old Poſt-houſe*.

Mother, and Spleen.

THis Cordial Drink admirably frees the *Liver* and *Spleen* of all *Obſtructions*, and is found a proper Expedient and effectual *Remedy* againſt the *Mother* and *Spleen*.

It is alſo of Excellent uſe for *Wet Nurſes*, cleanſing their *bloud*, and rendering their *Milk* wholſom and *nutritive* to the ſucking Babe.

Againſt Rickets.

IT cures the Rickets, and other diſtempers in Children, by opening and removing Obſtructions in them.

It keeps a clear paſſage between the *head* and *heart*, not admitting of any Noxious humour, that annoyes thoſe Noble parts.

It admirably keeps off *frightful fears* and *griefs* from ſeizing on the

the *heart*, by removing thoſe noxious and ſharp humours that occaſion the ſame.

It alſo takes away the Cauſe of, and cures the extream *burnings* in the bottoms of the *feet* and *palms* of the *hands*, which ſorely afflict the *Heart*.

Finally, it highly exalts the *Generative virtue*, and reſtores *Radical Moiſture*, cleanſing and ſtrengthening the Seminal veſſels in both Sexes.

And in a word, amongſt all the Diſeaſes and Diſtempers incident to humane Bodies, which I have heard or read of in theſe parts of the world, whether of *Men*, *Women*, *Children*, or *Babes*, I do in the preſence of God, upon my long Experience of the virtues of this *Cordial Drink* affirm, There is not one Diſeaſe able to withſtand, but is through God's bleſſing ſubject unto this *my Drink's* innocent, powerful, and miraculous operation (God's appointed time for the *Patient's Diſſolution* being not come.)

I might without oſtentation, or any vain Glory (if brevity were not deſigned) give inſtances of perſons that have (by God's bleſſing upon the ſeeming improbable means of this *my Drink*) been cured of the *Peſtilence*, ſome of *Agues*; and of others, that by this *Drink* have been cured of the *King's evill*, (ſo by its general Symptoms generally judged of:) whereof perſons applying themſelves to me, may have full ſatisfaction.

And I do in the preſence of the Almighty Searcher of hearts, faithfully promiſe, that this my *pleaſant inoffenſive Drink*, is with much carefulneſs and integrity duly prepared by me; ſo that I have (through the Lord's goodneſs) ſucceſsfully given the ſame unto my wife (*lying in*) and unto *Babes* in the *Monath*), (ſo qualifi'd, as in my *Directions* for taking the ſame is particularly expreſt.)

Moreover, for prevention of *fraud*, each Bottle of this my *Drink* ſhall be ſealed with my *Coat of Arms*, according to its Impreſſion in the Title, and is to be ſold at Mr. *Lowes* a Shoomaker within *Alderſgate*, directly againſt the Fountain Tavern: at Mr. *Milwards* Shop, a Bookſeller at *Weſtminſter* Hall Gate; at Mr. *Benedict Barnam's* Coffee-houſe, at the upper end of *Biſhops-gate ſtreet*, nigh *Leaden-hall* Corner. At Mris *Anne Butchers*, a Diſtiller at the Still and Tobacco-roll at St. *Margarets* Hill in *Southwark* nigh the Queens-head Inn; at Mr. *Woodwards* a Potter, at the three Sugar Loaves nigh the King's Bench; at Mr. *Boſtes* a Baker, at the *Axe* in

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And at my own House in *Prujean*'s-*Court*, by the *Sugar-Loaf* in the *Old Bailey*, nigh *Ludgate-hill*, LONDON.

But the Countrey Price of my Drink is (by reason of my trouble, hazard, and Charges in conveying the same) *six shillings* the Pint, and *three shillings* the half-pint Bottle.

At which several places above mentioned, all persons that are desirous of this *Cordial Drink*, may, (together with a Bottle of the same,) receive one of these Printed Books, and Printed Directions for the use and application thereof, proper to each Distemper, and the Patient's condition and strength of Body.

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to their lively verdure and greenneſs: To perſons therefore afflicted with theſe Chronical Diſtempers, and diſpoſed to uſe the means of this my Drink, I give this Advice, that they take the ſame according to the enſuing and particular Directions, and patiently wait upon the Almighty Phyſician of Soul and Body for his Bleſſing: And I doubt not, but they (as well as others have) will find very much Relief, at leaſt by eaſe of their Pains, if not the perfect cure of their Diſeaſe, which ſome have happily experienced. Moreover, let not the Patients (having taken this Drink) impatiently expect its operation, or working with them, on a ſuddain; for experience hath found, that on ſome Bodyes it is 6 hours, ſome 8, and on ſome 12 hours, before it works: And in moſt Diſtempers, its operation is ſo gentle and moderate, that the Patients may with ſafety follow their buſineſs and occaſions, either at home or abroad.

The ſecond general Obſervation.

LEt the Patient (afflicted with any of the Diſtempers, in the Sheet mentioned) have a due regard to the ſtate and condition of his or her Body (if the Body be Coſtive, as moſt generally perſons under ſuch diſtempers are,) the firſt Doſe (if the Age and ſtrength of Nature will permit) let be three Spoonfuls at the Patients going to Bed, and the like Doſe at the up-riſing in the Morning: But in caſe the Body be Laxative, then let the firſt Doſe over-night be one Spoonful, and another at the up-riſing in the Morning, and ſo let the Doſe be increaſed by one Spoonful each time, if the Patients ſtrength may admit, till it comes to three Spoonfuls, which (without good advice) none is to exceed. In taking the ſame, let the Patient uſe as much exerciſe and ſtirring, as ſtrength of Body may admit. Here likewiſe obſerve, The Patient ought to keep a good Dyet; and it is convenient to take a meſs of Broath, or ſomething warm an hour after the Mornings Doſe, which is found more proper than Poſſet-Ale.

The third general Obſervation.

THis Drink hath been many Years experienced of ſo innocent and ſure operation, that it may be ſafely taken at any ſeaſon of the Year; for neither heat, nor cold can obſtruct its influential operation on the Body: Moreover this Drink will retain its Virtue, though kept two Years together (as divers perſons have found) but I ſuppoſe it may keep much longer. Another Virtue and innate propriety of this Drink (diſtinguiſhing it from all other Phyſick whatſoever) is, that at the Patients leaving off the ſame, it leaves not the Patients Body Coſtive, but in a very good healthful temper and lightſome condition.

The GOUT.

LEt the Patient (having competent ſtrength of Nature) take three Spoonfulls of this *Elixir* in the Morning faſting, and the like Doſe laſt at Night; the which courſe let be followed ſo long as the Patients ſtrength of Body will well bear it, and eſpecially, if the Pains be found to move from one Joynt to another: I adviſe the Patient to be active, and uſe as much ſtirring exerciſe, as conveniently may be: Here note, That after four Doſes, or twelve Spoonfuls taking, the Patient may, (if the ſame be found to work five or ſix times in a Day) intermit a Day, and then return to the Drink; taking then two Spoonfuls in the Morning, one Spoonful an hour before Dinner, and two Spoonfuls laſt at Night; but let not the Patient, (finding not his expectation anſwered on a ſuddain) lay aſide the further uſe of this Choiſe Remedy; for although ſome have been Cured of this torturing malady, in taking out of one half-pint Bottle of this Drink, yet ſome require a Pint, and others more, according as the Diſeaſe hath more or leſs ſeated and rivited it ſelf in the Body.

The Stone or Gravel in the Kidneys.

IF the Patients pains lye moſt, either in the Reins, or in the Flank; it is an Indication, whereby he or ſhe may conclude, the Malady is the *Stone* or *Gravel* in the Kidneys; then, the Patients age and ſtrength of Nature admitting) let him, or her, take the full

Doſe, or three Spoonfuls laſt at Night, and firſt in the Morning; and preſently after it, uſe as much ſtirring exerciſe, as may be; and although Riding may at that time be burthenſome, yet it would prove very profitable and advantagious; for by uſing extraordinary exerciſes and agitations of the Body, divers have been the ſooner diſcharged of this torturing Diſtemper, as hath been experienced by Mr. *Crawley* (in the printed Sheet of this Drinks Virtues mentioned) who by taking but three Spoonfuls of this Drink, and riding ten Miles upon it, voided three Stones, each as big as a Horſe-bean, (as he himſelf teſtifieth.)

STONE in the Bladder.

LEt the Patient afflicted with the *Stone* in the Bladder, conſider the bigneſs of it, and take the full Doſe of three Spoonfuls laſt at Night, and the like, firſt in the Morning, continuing the ſame for three Days; then intermit two Days, and return to it; then taking only two Spoonfuls laſt at Night, and the like Doſe firſt in the Morning, which courſe let the Patient obſerve, and by the Lords Bleſſing, the Stone will be found to waſt gradualy, and in concluſion, to come away; but Patience is to be exerciſed, for although the ſaid *Tho. Hinde* voided away the Stone in nine Spoonfuls, or three Doſes taking; yet that great Stone voided by the ſaid Mr. *Crawley* was nigh 12 Months in waſting, before it could come away, and was then rendred ſo ſoft, that it crumbled away between the fingers.

Exulceration of the Kidneys.

FOr the Exulceration of the Kidneys, rendring the Patients Urine like Blood: Let the Patient keep to the direction of the ſecond general Obſervation, and ſo firſt open and cleanſe the Body for two Days; and then for two Days, Night, and Morning, take one Spoonful, or two, (according to the meaſure of ſtrength) and then intermit two Days, and after, take one ſpoonful at night, and one in the Morning, and one an hour before Dinner; This method of taking the ſame, hath by the Lords Bleſſing been found eminently ſucceſsful in the healing and cleanſing any Exulceration in the Reins or Bladder.

Collick, and Griping in the GUTS.

LEt the Patient (at any time of pain) take three ſpoonfuls, which may eaſe or mitigate the pain; and if he or ſhe be not diſcharged of the pains, take three ſpoonfuls more five hours after, but if the Patient be a coſtive or corpulent Body, let ſuch a one take a Doſe of four ſpoonfuls in the pain-fit, and (if the pain continue) four ſpoonfuls more ſix hours after; for this diſtemper is uſually ſadly violent, and muſt be followed cloſe; and this means (thus taken) fails not, by the bleſſing of Almighty God, to become Maſter of this ſad Malady. Afterwards (for cleanſing the Body of the dregs of it) let the Patient take a leſſer Doſe, according to direction of the general Obſervations.

PTISSICK.

LEt the Patient weigh and conſider the three general Obſervations, and (according to direction thereof) open and cleanſe the Body for four days; and after that, take only half a ſpoonful when the Cough is perceived coming upon him or her, and one ſpoonful an hour before Dinner; and this courſe (followed) will by degrees gain power over, and waſt the Diſtemper, yea, and ſtrengthen Nature againſt it; and this courſe may be taken even in Winter, when the Diſtemper is predominant and ſtrongeſt upon the Patient; by which means, he or ſhe will, by the Lords Bleſſing, find the Breath free, and the Cough exceedingly abated, if not taken away: But as to youthful Perſons, that are not far gone in this ſad Malady, a Pint of this Drink in the Spring, and as much in the Fall (taken as before directed) will, by Gods Bleſſing, not fail of their perfect Cure. And unto aged People, afflicted with this Diſtemper, it doth ſo far aid Nature, and ſtrengthen them, as in the following Winter to render their lives pleaſant to them; provided always, that the Patient be moderate in drinking, and have a care to prevent taking cold, and keep a good Diet.

DROPSIE.

IF it be predominant upon the Patient (known by the bigneſs of the Belly, ſwelling of the Limbs and Face) let the Patient take four ſpoonfuls firſt in the morning, and the like Doſe laſt at night, for four days together, then intermit two days, and afterwards keep to three ſpoonfuls at night, and the like Doſe in the morning.

SCURVEY.

THe *Scurvey*, known by knots in the flesh, and blew spots in the skin, let the Patients keep to the direction of the three general Observations, having due regard to the strength of their body, and take the drink two days, intermitting two days for the space of a month, and then take only one spoonful in the morning, and another an hour before dinner.

SURFEITS.

LEt the Patient take the ordinary Dose of three spoonfuls at night, and three in the morning, for six times, without intermission; and doubt not, but by the Lords blessing, the same will be found successful to his Relief and Cure, though the heighth of the Distemper had brought him very low, and nigh the gates of death: And I would advise others, and particularly such as are apt to drink much Wine (bad and sophisticated Wines being very frequent and fatal in this City and elsewhere) that they do upon the least illness and indisposition of Body, apply themselves unto this choise Remedy, either the same night, or the next morning, or both; for this Drink is experienced a choise Antidote for preventing of *Surfeits* (insensibly stealing upon men) and expelling out of the Body that malignant Matter, which is the occasion and rise thereof.

PESTILENCE.

LEt the Patient, when first smitten with this Visitation, or with illness, accompanied with any symptom of the Distemper (regard being had to the direction of the three general Observations) take three spoonfuls, or less, of this Drink (according to the Patients strength or weakness of Body) and so proceed as occasion shall require; and I question not, but (through mercy) the same will be found an effectual means, as well for overcoming the Distemper, as for strengthening Nature, and restoring Health (unless the Patients Visitation be the Messenger of Death) as hath been happily experienced, and will be attested by divers Persons in my own and other Families, which stayed in the City in the time of the last great Visitation, and were Visited, and yet through Gods goodness do still remain in the Land of the Living.

Fits of the Mother, and Vapours from the Spleen.

LEt the Patient (having regard to the directions of the general Obſervations) begin with one, or with two ſpoonfulls of this Drink, and ſo continue or raiſe the Doſe, according to what the Patients ſtrength may admit, remembring that the greateſt Doſe preſcribed, is not to exceed three ſpoonfulls.

WHen Women, either by reaſon of taking Cold, or any other accident, find an Obſtruction of their Courſes, (though it be in Child bed) give them three ſpoonfuls of this Drink, at any time, either of night or day, and through Gods Bleſſing, they will find all in good order again; of which excellent virtue in this Drink, divers Women, and my own Wife (when in Child-bed) have found comfortable experience, and will atteſt unto others.

GREEN-SICKNESS.

LEt the Patient duly obſerve the directions of the three general Obſervations, uſing as much ſtirring Exerciſe, as ſtrength will permit; and in four days time, ſhe will, by the Bleſſing of God, find her Diſtemper diminiſh, and in taking of an half pint Bottle, the Cheeks and Lips will return to their former Roſe-colour.

CHILDRENS Diſtempers.

FOr CHILDRENS DISTEMPERS, whether the Worms, Rickets, the Stone, Convulſions, Gripes, Kings-Evil, Joynt-Evil, or any Diſtemper proceeding from Wind or Crudities, gendred by means of undigeſted Matter, the effect of their cold and weak Stomachs, which is the grand and original cauſe of theſe their diſtempers: The way of adminiſtring this drink muſt be on this manner; to a Babe of a month old, give half a Childs ſpoonful thereof, mixed with double the quantity of ſmall Ale, in time of its affliction, not exceeding this Doſe, nor oftner than once in 12 hours time. To a Babe of half a year old, let the Doſe be half a middling ſpoonful of the Drink, with double the quantity of ſmall Ale. To one of a year old, one ſpoonful, with the like quantity of ſmall Ale. To a Child of four years old, one ſpoonful of the Drink alone. To one of 7 years old, two ſpoonfuls; and to one of 12 years old, two ſpoonfuls and an half; in any of theſe Diſtempers, not exceeding one Doſe in 12 hours, except only in the

the Gripes, and then one Dose in each five hours, where observe, that in most of these Distempers, it hath pleased God so to bless this *means*, that two Doses have been found successful to Babes and Childrens Cure: Here note, that the strength of the Child, and of its Distemper, will be a more sure Guide than the Childs Age, for apportioning a proper Dose.

The Stone in Babes and Children.

AND if the Distemper be the *Stone*, observe the same directions in administring this Drink to Babes and Children, of all Ages, as is above prescribed for those under other Distempers, except only that Distemper of the *Gripes*; and this Drink gradualy wasts the Stone, and turns Stones to Gravel, bringing them away as soft as Meal, and brings away Worms, as skins; it also brings away a slimy substance, some black, some green, the Cause of these Distempers, which manifold experience hath fully confirmed.

Convulsion-Fits.

MOoreover it hath also been experienced, that unto a Child of seven years old (afflicted with the *Gripes* or *Convulsion-Fits* in extremity) there hath been found necessary the same Dose, as for a Man, being three spoonfuls, and five hours after, the like Dose.

Consumptions, bad Digestions.

LEt Consumptive Persons, of either Sex, take one spoonful of this Drink an hour before Dinner, and another such Dose, an hour after Dinner; for many weak Consumptive Persons have (through the Lords Blessing) experienced the same very successful in strengthening weak Nature, converting their food into good nourishment, and restoring their strength.

Agues.

LEt the Patient, an hour before the expected time of the Fitt, take three Spoonfuls, being at what time soever; and two Spoonfuls, six hours after: which done, let the Patient observe the *Directions* of the second general *Observation*.

Piles.

LEt the person afflicted, diligently follow the *Direction* in the second general *Observation*, it having been lately found very successful.

FINIS.